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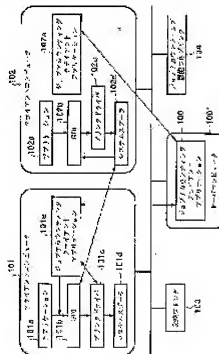
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## (54) DEVICE AND METHOD FOR CONTROLLING PRINTING AND PRINT SYSTEM

### (57)Abstract:

**PROBLEM TO BE SOLVED:** To select whether or not authentication information is to be confirmed for each job by a user.

**SOLUTION:** When a printer driver 101c is to authenticate a user corresponding to a print job before printing, it is designated whether or not the authentication information is to be confirmed for each print job. When such a designation is performed, the printer driver 101c displays a picture for inputting the authentication information for each print job but when such a designation is not performed but the authentication information is preserved, that authentication information is used for authentication without requesting confirmation to the user.



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